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SUBJECT: JOINT COMMISSION--THIRD SESSION

REF: (A) BUC.5834, (B) BUCH 5801, (C) BUCH 6013

1. REGARDING DPM PATAN'S REQUEST PER REF A FOR SECRETARY RICHARDSON TO ARRIVE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20, SECRETARY REGRETS, DUE TO PREVIOUS COMMITMENT, THAT HE IS UNABLE TO DEPART LONDON BEFORE 8 A.M. SUNDAY, NOV 21. ALTHOUGH TRAVEL MEANS STILL NOT FIRM, ANTICIPATED USE OF MILITARY C-9 PLANE WOULD PERMIT SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL BUCHAREST AT APPROXIMATELY NOON SUNDAY EARLIEST.

2. DUE TO ABOVE TIME SCHEDULE WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE FOR SECRETARY'S PLANE TO FLY DIRECT TO SUCEAVA? THIS WOULD PERMIT FULL HALF-DAY IN MOLDAVIAN REGION AND SUNDAY EVENING ARRIVAL IN BUCHAREST.

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3. REGARDING PARAGRAPHS 1 AND 2 ABOVE, WE REQUEST VIEWS OF

EM0ASSY AND GOR ON FEASIBILITY OF EITHER OPTION FOR SECRETARY'S VISIT TO MOLDAVIA. SECRETARY REMAINS VERY INTERESTED IN SEEING PAINTED CHURCHES AND APPRECIATES GOR EFFORTS TO MAKE THIS POSSIBLE.

4. IF NEITHER OPTION WORKA0LE, SECRETARY WOULD STILL BE INTERESTED IN VISIT TO BRASOV-SINAIA VALLEY REGION. DEPENDING ON TIME AVAILABLE, WE WOULD THINK VISIT TO PELES CASTLE AT SINAIA OR POSSIBLY BRAN CASTLE, NEAR BRASOV, WOULD BE APPEALING. WE LEAVE TO YOUR JUDGMENT APPROPRIATE VISIT.

5. REGARDING REF B AND PARA 1 ABOVE, WHILE DECISION NOT FIRM, WE ANTICIPATE SECRETARY'S ROMANIA ARRIVAL/ DEPARTURE ABOARD MILITARY TWIN JET C-9 AIRCRAFT (SEATING 30). WE WILL CONFIRM THIS ASAP.

6. REGARDING PARA 2 REF (A) AS ELABORATED IN PARA 3 REF (C) WE CONCUR WITH PATAN PROPOSAL TO HAVE ADVANCE TEAM NEGOTIATE COMMISSION DOCUMENTS AND HAVE COMMENTED ON IT IN MORE DETAIL IN DOWNEY'S BRIEFING CABLE PARA 2. KISSINGER

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